FOREST DEPARTMENT.

FOREST DEPARTMENT EXAMINATION.

Notification No. 6153, *dated* 10*th December* 1918.

It is hereby notified that the next Departmental Examination in the Forest Department Code, Accounts and Rules will be held as prescribed in Article 40 of the Forest Department Code on the 3rd Monday in January 1919.

Forest Officers and subordinates who wish to sit for the Examination should intimate the fact to this office through their respective District Forest Officers on or before the 12th *proximo*.

N. B.—No application shall be registered after the prescribed date.

Notification No. 6165, *dated* 10*th December* 1918.

The following Forest Officer and officials are hereby declared to have passed the Departmental Examination in Forest Code and Accounts and Rules held in July last :—

Order of merit	Name	Designation
1	Mr. P. A. Mohanavelu Pillay... ...	Range Officer, Ainur Marigudi, Mysore West Division.
2	,, B. Venkatanarasaiya	Clerk, District Forest Office, Tumkur.
3	,, T. Nagesha Rao	Do do
4	,, S. Ramachendra Rao	Clerk, Range Office, Periyapatna, Mysore West Division.

M. G. RAMA RAO,
Conservator of Forests in Mysore.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

BOWRINGPET-KOLAR RAILWAY DEBENTURES OF 1912.

Dated 14*th February* 1917.

With reference to Government Notification No. Fl. 9254—G. F. 491-11-2, dated 20th August 1912, and No. Fl. 1118—G. F. 28-14-2, dated 7th September 1914, the following rates offered by applicants for purchase and sale of 4 per cent promissory notes of the Mysore State Loan of 1906-07 and of the Bowringpet-Kolar Railway Debentures, are published for public information.

2. Communications regarding the same should be made to the Comptroller in the State Huzur Treasury Department by intending buyers and sellers.

3. The quotations are as under :—

Buyers of State Loan Pro-notes offer to buy at discount in small quantities.	1. Sellers of State Loan Pro-notes are willing to part at 97. 2. Sellers of Bowringpet-Kolar Railway Debentures in small quantities offer to sell at 1 to 5 per cent discount.

4. The last actual transaction took place as under :—

Promissory notes of the State Loan of 1906-07 at 97.

M. N. KRISHNA RAO,
Comptroller.

MYSORE STATE LIFE INSURANCE COMMITTEE.

Circular Notification No. 44, *dated* 27*th November* 1918.

To—The Deputy Commissioners, Treasury Department, of all Districts and the Heads of all Offices in Mysore.

It is hereby notified for information that Policies in the Official Branch of the Mysore State Life Insurance Office will be issued in future after payment of the first premium in cash and not before, as has been the practice hitherto. The Treasuries, which receive the first premium will grant separate receipts.

Whenever subsequent premium, which should, under Rules 24 and 25 of the same Branch, be ordinarily recovered from the pay or leave allowances of the Insured, is paid in cash, the Treasuries will grant separate receipts therefor.

In regard to premiums deducted from the pay or leave allowance bills, there is documentary evidence and proof of payment in the books of the Insurance Office.

It is therefore considered unnecessary to require Treasuries and Pay Disbursing Officers to acknowledge payments of premium in separate premium receipt books left in their possession by the insured persons and it serves no useful purpose. It has accordingly been decided to discontinue the issue of premium receipt books with the policies in the Official Branch from 1st January 1919.

From the above date, the existing practice of acknowledging payments of premium in receipt books either by the Comptroller or the Treasury Officer or the Heads of Offices will be discontinued. This may be notified to all the insured persons.

No. T. A. D. A. 672, dated 5th December 1918.

To

All Drawers of Establishment Bills, the Deputy Commissioners, Treasury Department, of Districts and the Officer in charge, State Huzur Treasury, Bangalore.

The attention of all Drawers of Establishment Bills is invited to Government Order No. 1270-1320—E. A. G. 317, dated the 7th November 1918, prescribing that only natives of Mysore by birth or domicile should be entertained in future, whether for permanent or temporary appointments in the superior service, and they are requested to affix the following certificate in addition to the one prescribed in this office Circular No. 383—T. A. D. A., dated 20th—21st September 1918, with reference to Clerkship Rules, in all Establishment Bills sent to this office or presented at the Treasuries for payment from January next :—

"Certified that no appointments in the superior service, either permanent or temporary, have been made otherwise than under the provisions contained in Government Order No. 1270-1320—E. A. G. 317, dated the 7th November 1918."

2. The certificate will accordingly be inserted in the Bills commencing with those for December 1918. Bills not containing the certificate will not be paid.

Dated 11th December 1918.

To—All Drawers of Salary and Establishment Bills subject to Pre-audit.

The undersigned has the honour to state that Salary and Establishment bills for December 1918 may be signed and sent for audit three days before the last working day of the month, *i.e.*, from 20th December 1918, (the period from 24th December to 1st January being Holidays). This arrangement is necessary to provide for prompt audit and payment of claims. Any claim relating to the portion of the month after the submission of the bill for audit, which is subsequently found to be not payable, should be refunded by short-drawal in the bill for the next month.

Tokens will be issued in lieu of bills presented for pre-audit, and it is requested that they may be carefully kept for return to this office. Cheques will be delivered at this office only on surrender of the tokens on the 2nd January 1919, and they will not be sent to the officers concerned.

T. SATYARAJ CHETTY,
Offg. Comptroller.

SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

Notice dated 27th November 1918.

Depositors in the Savings Bank of the Tirthahalli Taluk Treasury are requested to present their Pass Books to the Treasury Officer, for entering therein the interest for the year 1917-18.

J. BALL,
For *Deputy Commissioner,*
Treasury Department.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

IN THE CHIEF COURT OF MYSORE AT BANGALORE.

Notification No. D2. Dis. No. 621 *of* 1918-19, *dated the 10th—13th December* 1918.

Under Articles 172 and 186 of the Mysore Service Regulations, Mr. N. T. Gopaliengar, B.A., LL.B., Officiating District and Sessions Judge of the Bangalore Division, is granted privilege leave of absence on full pay for three days with effect from the 2nd January 1919 and in continuation of the Christmas and New-year holidays.